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## PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, the Applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated May 31, 2006, be extended for one month to and including September 30, 2006.

Please apply the charge of \$60 to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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